

Mysteries

Grades 4-6



The following titles are found in the J Fiction area unless otherwise noted.

Abbot	THE POSTCARD (2008) Jason finds an old postcard which leads him on an adventure that blends figures from an old, unfinished detective story with his family's past.
Amato	EDGAR ALLAN'S OFFICIAL CRIME INVESTIGATION NOTEBOOK (2010) When someone takes items from his classroom, each time leaving a clue in the form of a poem, student Edgar competes with a classmate to be first to solve the mystery.
Baccalario	THE DOOR TO TIME (2006) (<i>Ulysses Moore Series: #1</i>) After moving to an old mansion, twins Jason and Julia discover that their new home has twisting tunnels, strange artifacts from around the world and a mysterious locked door.
Balliet	CHASING VERMEER (2004) When strange events start to happen and a precious Vermeer painting disappears, Petra and Calder combine their talents to solve an international art scandal.
Barnett	THE CASE OF THE CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY (2009) (<i>Brixton Brothers: #1</i>) When Steve Brixton is mistaken for a real detective, he must elude librarians, police, and the mysterious Mr. E as he seeks a missing quilt containing coded information.
Berlin	THE PUZZLING WORLD OF WINSTON BREEN (2007) Puzzle-crazy Winston and his ten-year-old sister Katie find themselves involved in a dangerous mystery involving a hidden ring. Puzzles for the reader to solve are included throughout the text.
Bosch	THE NAME OF THIS BOOK IS SECRET (2007) (<i>Secret Series: #1</i>) Two eleven-year-old misfits try to solve the mystery of a dead magician and stop the evil Dr. L and Ms. Mauvais, who are searching for the secret of immortality.
Broach	MASTERPIECE (2008) After Marvin, a beetle, makes a miniature drawing as a birthday gift for James, a human with whom he shares a house, the two new friends work together to help recover a Durer drawing stolen from the Metropolitan Museum of Art.
Chari	VANISHED (2012) Eleven-year-old Neela must solve the mystery when her beautiful, but cursed, veena, a classical Indian musical instrument, goes missing.
Clements	ROOM ONE: A MYSTERY OR TWO (2006) Ted Hammond, the only sixth grader in his small Nebraska town's one-room schoolhouse, searches for clues to the disappearance of a homeless family.
Clements	WE THE CHILDREN (2010) (<i>Benjamin Pratt & the Keepers of the School: #1</i>) When the school janitor gives Ben an old coin with some engravings and then dies, Ben is drawn into an effort to keep his school from being destroyed.
Colfer	HALF-MOON INVESTIGATIONS (2006) Twelve-year-old private investigator Fletcher Moon, nicknamed "Half Moon" because of his shortness, must track down a conspiracy or be framed for a crime he did not commit.

Kennedy	WILMA TENDERFOOT: THE CASE OF THE FROZEN HEARTS (2011) (<i>Wilma Tenderfoot: Book 1</i>) Wilma, an orphan who lives in an institute, dreams of escape and of becoming the apprentice of a famous detective she follows in the newspaper
Levin	THE FAMILY HITCHCOCK (2011) When they house swap with an unknown family in Paris, the Hitchcock family gets mixed up in a ring of international espionage.
Lytle	MACKINAC PASSAGE: MYSTERY AT ROUND ISLAND LIGHT (2001) Pete and his friends explore the Round Island Lighthouse and the island after crossing Lake Huron in their dingy, then find a note in their boat with a threat on their lives.
Margolin	VANISHING ACTS (2011) (<i>Madison Kincaid Mysteries: Book 1</i>) Between soccer games and beginning seventh grade, Madison Kincaid and classmate Jake try to track down her missing friend, while also helping her attorney father solve a missing-persons case
Margolis	GIRLS BEST FRIEND (2010) (<i>Maggie Brooklyn Mystery: Book1</i>) In Brooklyn, New York, twelve-year-old dog-walker Maggie, aided by her twin brother and best friend, investigates someone she believes is stealing pets.
Mass	THE CANDYMAKERS (2010) When four twelve-year-olds compete in the Confectionary Association's annual contest, they unexpectedly become friends and uncover secrets about themselves during the process.
Nickerson	HOW TO DISAPPEAR COMPLETELY AND NEVER BE FOUND (2002) With a swimming medal, a key to a mansion, and a comic book about a man/rat as her clues, a girl seeks the true story of her father's mysterious death four years earlier.
Soup	A WHOLE NOTHER STORY (2010) Ethan Cheeseman and his children hope to settle in a nice small town, long enough to complete work on a time machine, but spies and government agents who have been pursuing them for two years ⁹ are about to catch up.
Springer	THE CASE OF THE MISSING MARQUESS (2006) (<i>Enola Holmes Mystery #1</i>) Enola Holmes, much younger sister of Sherlock Holmes, must travel to London in disguise to unravel the disappearance of her missing mother.
Stewart	THE MYSTERIOUS BENEDICT SOCIETY (2007) (<i>Mysterious Benedict Society: Book 1</i>) After passing a series of mind-bending tests, four children are selected for a secret mission where they go undercover at the Learning Institute for the Very Enlightened, where the only rule is that there are no rules.

Series Mysteries

<u>Author</u>	<u>Series Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>Series Title</u>
*Thirty Nine	39 Clues	Sobol	Encyclopedia Brown
Byars	Herculeah Jones	Stilton	Geronimo Stilton
*Dixon	Hardy Boys	*Warner	Boxcar Children
Hildick	McGurk	*Various	American Girl History Mystery
*Keene	Nancy Drew	*Various	Lady Grace Mysteries
Skurzynski	National Parks Mystery		

*These books are found in the Series Wall area



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